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1. There was a chemical plant [see location sketch on page 27 at Svalava /M48-33, E22-597] which I believe had to do in some way with the Armed Forces. [redacted] was asked by this chemical plant to furnish explosives and demolition experts to help in constructing a road; all I know of the road was that it was to run through some woods near Svalava.
2. In making its request, the chemical plant had neglected to go through the normal channels, a process which might have taken two months or more before an approval was realized; therefore, the quarry refused to comply.
3. Two weeks after the quarry's refusal, an order was received from Oblast Party Headquarters in Uzhgorod /M48-38, E22-197 directing the quarry to satisfy the chemical plant's request on the basis that it was for the Armed Forces. There were no further explanations. The quarry complied.
4. As for what the chemical plant produced, I only know that it sold charcoal and lumber for furniture to the local population.

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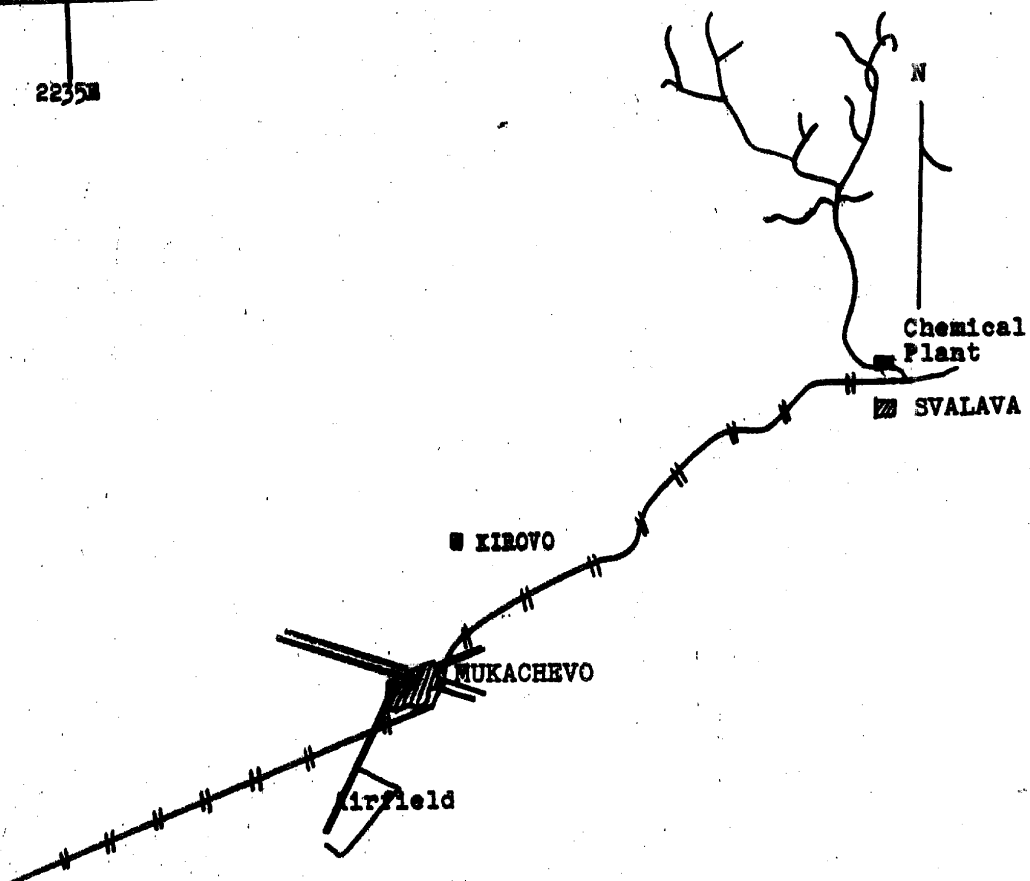
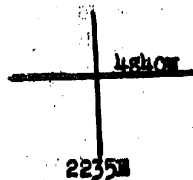
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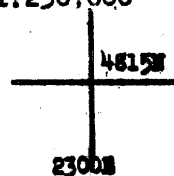
Chemical Plant in Svalava [4833N-2259E] near Mukachevo [4826N-2243E]



- +—+—+— Double-track RR
- Narrow-gauge RR of the Chemical Plant
- Hard surface road

Map Reference:

Central Europe, Sheet S-49
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